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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 8536**  
Takahiro KITANO et al. : **Docket No. 2001-1648A**  
Serial No. 10/009,169 : **Group Art Unit 1761**  
Filed December 7, 2001 : **Examiner Carolyn A. Paden**  
  
**COATING MATERIALS FOR  
CONFECTIONERY/BAKERY USE AND  
PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF** : **Mail Stop AF**

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1761**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of April 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.